CLAIM AMENDMENTS:

Please amend Claims 13, 15 and 16, as follows:

1. - 12. (Cancelled)

13. (Currently Amended) An image processing apparatus comprising: a reproducing unit which reproduces <u>one continuous video of</u> a moving image[[,]] which is one continuous video[[,]] from a <u>start thereof for storage medium in accordance with</u> a predetermined reproduction time set in advance; and

a determining unit which determines whether a <u>predetermined first</u> button is pressed during reproduction of the moving image of the one continuous video <u>of the moving image</u> by said reproducing unit,

wherein if the predetermined reproduction time set in advance is passed from the start of reproduction of the one continuous video without said determining unit determining that [[a]] the first button is pressed, said reproducing unit stops reproducing the one continuous video of the moving image, and if said determining unit determines that the first button is pressed before the predetermined reproduction time set in advance is passed from the start of reproduction of the one continuous video, said reproducing unit continues to reproduce the one continuous video of the moving image up to the end thereof even if the predetermined reproduction time is passed[[,]] to reproduce the moving image up to the end of the one continuous video and to start and starts reproduction of a next moving image which is of another

continuous video of a next moving image which [[and]] is not included in the one continuous video of the moving image reproduced up to the end thereof, and

wherein said determining unit determines if a second button is pressed during the reproduction of the one continuous video of the moving image continued by said reproducing unit after said determining unit determines that the first button is pressed before the predetermined reproduction time is passed, and if the second button is so pressed said reproducing unit terminates the continued reproduction of the one continuous video of the moving image and then starts reproduction in accordance with the predetermined reproduction time to produce of said another continuous video of the next moving image which is of another continuous video and is not included in the one continuous video of the moving image which [[said]] the reproduction unit terminates to reproduce in response to the press of the second button.

14. (Cancelled)

15. (Currently Amended) An image processing apparatus according to Claim 13, further comprising:

a display unit which displays the moving image reproduced by said reproducing unit from the storage medium,

wherein said display unit displays the one continuous video of the moving image reproduced by said reproducing unit even after the predetermined reproduction time is passed, if said determining unit determines that the first button is pressed before the predetermined reproduction time is passed from the start of reproduction of the one continuous video.

 (Currently Amended) An image processing apparatus according Claim 13, further comprising:

a video signal output unit which outputs the moving image reproduced by said reproducing unit from the storage medium,

wherein said video signal output unit outputs the one continuous video of the moving image reproduced by said reproducing unit even after the predetermined reproduction time is passed, if said determining unit determines that the first button is pressed before the predetermined reproduction time is passed from the start of reproduction of the one continuous video.

17. (Previously Presented) An image processing apparatus according to Claim 13, wherein the image processing apparatus includes a digital camera or a digital video camera.

18. - 22. (Cancelled)